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**RESPONSE TO FINAL OFFICE ACTION  
EXPEDITED EXAMINING PROCEDURE  
GROUP ART UNIT 2839  
PATENT APPLICATION  
A7965**

**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT & TRADEMARK OFFICE**

In re application of

Nicholas V. NECHITAILO

Appln. No.: 09/883,998

Group Art Unit: 2839

Confirmation No.: 2408

Examiner: Javaid H. Nasri

Filed: June 20, 2001

For: TAPE BASED HIGH FIBER COUNT CABLE

**REQUEST FOR RECONSIDERATION**

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Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
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Sir:

In response to the Final Office Action dated December 11, 2003, please reconsider the above-identified application in light of the following remarks.